

Silver Spring Urban District Advisory Committee
Meeting
3:30 pm
January 20, 2011

Members Present: Jennifer Nettles, Tiffany Graham-Golden, Kay Weston, Carmen Camacho, Don Hague, Julie Statland, Ernest Bland, and Jon Lourie

Members Absent: Yuri Van Mierlo

Staff: Reemberto Rodriguez, Yvette Freeman, Jean Lee, Gwen Haney

Minutes: The SSUDAC approved the November 2010.

Motion: Committee to write a letter in support of Discovery Channel's security improvements (*All in Favor*).

Motion: Committee to write a letter to Leggett on Silver Spring area needs for the new budget they will use retreat items. Jennifer Nettles will draft the letter by February 10, 2011.

Chairs' Report:

Jennifer Nettles reported that

- Jessica Evans Interested in Vacant board position.
- 22 vendors added to Fresh Farm Market (1,500 to 2,000 shoppers a week)
- Parking Lot Study being done.
- . SSTC; still waiting for traffic study.
- Everyone should start using MC 311 service.

Department General Services (DGS)

Don Scheuerman reported that:

- Reported that the Police station should be relocated by July 2013
- Transit center is on schedule
- Construction on Library should start by spring of 2012
- Study being done on pedestrian impact of library.

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Yvette Freeman reported that:

- Red Shirts have been Key in dealing with criminal activity
- Graffiti on the rise.
- Community service staff starts this weekend. 1/22/11.

Police Report

Lt. Carter reported that:

- Robbers and residential properties burglary and theft from autos are up.

Discovery Communications

Catherine Carroll reported that they are:

- They are adding an 8 foot tall fence, will have a dual fence around inner parts of building.

Update Silver Spring Urban District Budget

Angela Dizelos, OMB reported that:

- \$300 Million has to be cut from budget.
- Cost of health benefits may go up.
- As of now no reductions for Urban District.

Meeting adjourned at 5:45pm.

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